

The restriction/election requirement also requires Applicants to elect one of the following species under 35 U.S.C. § 121:

If Group I is selected:

- Species A: Figure 1
- Species B: Figure 3
- Species C: Figure 4
- Species D: Figure 8
- Species E: Figure 9

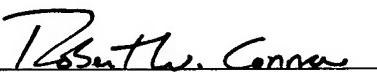
If Group II is selected:

- Species F: Figure 5
- Species G: Figure 6
- Species H: Figure 7
- Species I: Figure 10

Applicants elect, with traverse, Species C, Figure 4. Applicants traverse concerns the finding that none of the claims is generic. Applicants also respectively submit that Claims 1 to 8, 10 to 26 and 35 to 50 read on the elected Species A. Figs. 3 and 4 both include and reference each of the features of Fig. 1. Fig. 3 adds, among other things, multiple pumps and a combination regenerator/gas separator. Fig. 4 adds multiple pumps and balance chambers. Claim 9 is directed to the combination regenerator/gas separator of non-elected Fig. 3.

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